MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF

THE NEBRASKA JUDICIAL RESOURCES COMMISSION April 2, 2013

A meeting of the Nebraska Judicial Resources Commission was held on the 2nd day of April, 2013, in Room 1507, State Capitol, with Commission members attending by phone.

Judge McCormack called the meeting to order in Room 1507, State Capitol Building in Lincoln, Nebraska. Roll call by the Secretary:

PRESENT ABSENT

Judge Michael McCormack, Chr.
Judge Patrick McDermott
Judge Robert O'Neal
Judge John Samson
Riko Bishop

Riko Bishop Mark Sipple

Amy Schlichting

Darlene Starman

Steven Mattoon

Robert Parker

Thomas Hoarty

Richard Carter

Wayne Mark

Jayne Mann Mike Day Brian Phares

Lori Scherer

The Chairman called for approval of the minutes of the meeting of January 14, 2013. Moved by Judge Samson, second by Ms. Starman that the minutes be approved. Voting yes, all present.

Chairman announced that the purpose of the hearing was to consider whether or not the caseload statistics warranted the filling of certain judicial vacancies in the State of Nebraska arising from the retirement of Judge Doyle and the resignation of Judge Rehmeier.

The Chairman identified and received into the record Exhibits 1 through 8.

The Chairman then called for consideration of the vacancy in the County Court of the 3rd Judicial District of Nebraska, as a result of the retirement of Judge Doyle. The Chairman called for testimony. Testimony in favor of filling the vacancy was received by the Commission. There was no testimony in opposition. It was moved by Ms. Bishop and seconded by Mr. Hoarty that the vacancy in the office of County Judge of the 3rd Judicial District be filled with the primary office being located at Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska. Voting yes, all present. Motion carried.

The Chairman then called for consideration of the vacancy in the District Court of the 2nd Judicial District of Nebraska, as a result of the resignation of Judge Rehmeier. The Chairman called for testimony. Testimony in favor of filling the vacancy was received by the Commission. There was no testimony in opposition. It was moved by Judge O'Neal and seconded by Mr. Mark that the vacancy in

the office of District Judge of the 2nd Judicial District be filled with the primary office being located at Nebraska City, Otoe County, Nebraska, or Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska. Voting yes, all present. Motion carried.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, it was moved by Judge Samson and seconded by Mr. Mark, that the Commission stand adjourned. Voting yes, all present. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted:

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Judge Patrick McDermott, Secretary